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REPORT OF SELECTMEN

AND OTHER TOWN OFFICERS.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

Citizens of Carver:—

The Selectmen submit their Annual Report of the receipts and expenditures of the Town for the past year, with such other facts as may be of interest.

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

J. A. VAUGHAN, *Treasurer.*

DR.

Cash on hand, Jan. 15, 1901,	$ 214 43
Received from—	
County Treasurer, dog license dividend,	165 87
Treasurer of the Commonwealth,	
for support of State paupers,	27 23
for corporation tax,	893 16
for national bank tax,	675 16
for State aid,	708 50
for education of children,	40 00
for compensation of Inspector of Animals,	10 00
for Massachusetts school fund,	428 58
Benjamin Darling, support of Mrs. Eames,	238 92
Town of Middleboro, medical attendance of Dora Bradford,	46 50
Furniture sold from Almshouse,	2 00
Town of Middleboro,	41 75

Charles S. Bassett, burial of child returned,	10 00
Burial of Benj. Dunham returned,	15 00
Burial of Emma Chase returned,	10 00
Foster L. Randall, license to peddle,	6 00
Arthur N. Wood, license to peddle,	6 00
A. H. Griffith, sale of herring privilege,	5 66
Gustavus Atwood, trustee, income of Pratt Fund,	125 00
B. A. Hathaway, Clerk of Third District Court, fine of E. Thomas,	16 76
B. A. Hathaway, Clerk of Third District Court, fine of C. E. Churchill, after paying expenses,	39 38
Peleg McFarlin, income of Ellis school fund,	200 00
Shurtleff heirs, redeeming land sold for taxes,	36 76
Town of Middleboro, account of Fresh M. bridge,	22 44
State highway, loan fund,	800 00
Sale of school books,	8 75
Taxes collected,	11,746 35
Interest on taxes collected,	122 72
J. A. Vaughan and others, trustees, money hired,	1,000 00
William Savery, attorney, money hired,	6,500 00
	$24,162 92

Cr.

Paid for—	
Support of schools,	$4,231 46
School books and incidentals,	498 83
Repairs of schoolhouses,	571 14
Moving No. 8 schoolhouse,	154 25
Transportation of scholars,	72 00
State aid,	827 00
Support of poor, out of Almshouse,	1,784 66
Support of poor, in Almshouse,	383 69
Repairs and furnishing almshouse,	3 05
Officers' salaries,	1,037 27

Repairs on town house,	47 78
State tax,	542 50
County tax,	1,054 89
Library,	170 80
Repairs of highways,	1,660 93
Suppression of crime,	167 89
Military aid,	24 00
Insurance,	45 00
Soldiers' Memorial,	15 00
New road at South Carver,	448 52
New road at North Carver,	1,519 03
Repairs of bridges,	209 25
Fighting fire,	188 65
Addition to new schoolhouse,	592 30
Incidental Town expenses,	593 63
William E. Savery, attorney, money hired,	6,500 00
Charles W. Griffith, cemetery fund, money hired,	514 00
Cash on hand, Jan. 15, 1902,	308 40
	$24,162 92

CEMETERY FUNDS.

Ellis Griffith, cemetery,	$270 79
E. T. Stetson, cemetery fund,	616 77
T. B. Griffith, cemetery fund,	1,146 88
P. W. Bump, cemetery fund,	114 85
Charles W. Griffith, cemetery fund,	556 47
Augustine Shurtleff, cemetery fund,	106 12
	$2,811 88

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer of Carver, and find the same to be correct.

E. G. CORNISH, *Auditor.*

Carver, Jan. 24, 1902.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

J. A. VAUGHAN, *Collector.*

1901.	DR.		
Jan. 15.	To uncollected tax of 1879,		$82 29
1902.	CR.		
Jan. 15.	By tax abated,		$82 29
1901.	DR.		
Jan. 15.	To uncollected taxes, bills of 1896,		$36 69
1902.	CR.		
Jan. 15.	By taxes collected,	$33 71	
	By taxes uncollected,	2 98	
			$36 96
1901.	DR.		
Jan. 15.	To uncollected taxes, bills of 1897,		$156 11
1902.	CR.		
Jan. 15.	By taxes abated as follows:		
	Mahitable King,	$1 28	
	William W. Tillson,	2 00	
	Tremont Barrel Co.,	10 38	
	Taxes collected,	125 65	
	Taxes uncollected,	16 80	
			$156 11
1901.	DR.		
Jan. 15.	To uncollected taxes, bills of 1898,		$369 86
1902.	CR.		
Jan. 15.	By taxes abated as follows:		

	Gustavus Atwood, trustee of Pratt fund,	$2 57	
	Mahitable King,	1 17	
	Tremont Barrel Co.,	4 90	
	Taxes collected,	224 12	
	Taxes uncollected,	137 10	
			$369 86
1901.	Dr.		
Jan. 15.	To uncollected taxes, bills of 1899,		$897 10
1902.	Cr.		
Jan. 15.	By taxes abated as follows:		
	Gardner E. Holmes,	$13 89	
	John Hailey,	2 00	
	Mahitable King,	96	
	Rome T. King,	2 00	
	Taxes collected,	374 46	
	Taxes uncollected,	503 79	
			$897 10
1901.	Dr.		
Jan. 15.	To uncollected taxes, bills of 1900,		$1,385 52
1902.	Cr.		
Jan. 15.	By taxes collected,	$578 14	
	By taxes uncollected,	807 38	
			$1,385 52
1901.	Dr.		
Jan. 15.	To amount of taxes, bills of 1901,		$12,433 28
1902.	Cr.		
Jan. 15.	By amount collected,	$10,409 54	
	By amount uncollected,	2,023 74	
			$12,433 28

REPAIRS OF SCHOOLHOUSES.

Paid—

E. A. Richards, building fence, No. 1,	$9 40
J. Breck & Sons, wire fencing, No. 3G. and 5,	55 00
J. A. Vaughan, posts, No. 3G.,	5 40
T. T. Vaughan, posts, No. 5,	6 60
E. B. Perkins, bolts, No. 1G.,	25
C. E. Vaughan, working on lot, No. 3G.,	1 33
Colombia Shade Cloth Co., curtains, No. 3G.,	4 75
J. P. Parker, labor, No. 3P.,	1 00
E. K. Greer, lumber, No. 8,	42 06
E. K. Greer, lumber, No. 4G.,	12 06
J. K. and B. Sears & Co., lumber, No. 3P.,	96
George Adams, painting, No. 3P. and 5,	24 35
F. E. Barrows, loam and grading, No. 3P.,	6 75
A. A. White & Co., paint, No. 3P. and 5,	4 50
T. T. Vaughan, shingles, No. 3P.,	7 56
F. E. Barrows, carting lumber, No. 3P.,	25
G. P. Lincoln, shingling, No. 5,	12 25
T. E. Blonding, building coal bins, No. 3G.,	6 50
E. G. Cornish, labor on yard, No. 3G.,	4 83
Gustavus Atwood, repairs, No. 8,	221 70
Gustavus Atwood, repairs, No. 4,	26 50
Gustavus Atwood, repairs, E. Head,	1 50
Gustavus Atwood, repairs, No. 2,	10 70
E. A. Richards, repairs, No. 3,	4 20
H. C. Robbins, repairs, No. 3,	3 20
H. Caron, repairs, No. 3,	1 50
Finney Bros., shingles, No. 3 and 5,	36 75
E. A. Richards, fixing stove pipe,	2 40
A. L. Veazie, repairs, No. 1G.,	3 15
John B. Hatch, repairs of pump, No. 3G.,	1 50
A. Humphrey, repairs of furnace, No. 3G.,	50
George Adams, painting windows, No. 3G.,	12 92
E. G. Cornish, repairs, No. 3G.,	2 50

TEXT-BOOKS AND INCIDENTAL SCHOOL EXPENSES.

Paid—

Educational Publishing Co., books,	$2 00
A. W. Peterson, expressing,	1 45
Hinds & Noble, books,	8 16
Thompson, Brown & Co., books,	4 80
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	8 58
S. H. Mayo & Co., tables and chairs,	10 50
J. L. Hammett Co., school supplies,	46 55
J. L. Hammett Co., diplomas,	15 00
Prang Educational Co., books,	10 56
Henry Holt & Co., books,	5 50
Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	11 90
George P. Brown, books,	50
Ginn & Co., books,	56 51
R. F. Shurtleff, sundries,	88
American Book Co., books,	148 97
J. C. Cave, printing,	2 00
Rand, McNally & Co., maps,	23 10
George F. King, paper and supplies,	22 86
Seth C. C. Finney, table,	6 25
Seth C. C. Finney, stove, No. 1 P.,	10 00
Seth C. C. Finney, books,	1 75
Seth C. C. Finney, freight and express,	5 92
Mary L. Rogers, busy work,	1 14
D. C. Heath, books,	15 18
E. B. Perkins, shelves,	1 50
E. B. Perkins, express,	1 25
E. G. Cornish, supplies,	3 30
Levenworth & Green, charts and supplies,	52 50
Gustavus Atwood, stove, E. Head,	2 50
Gustavus Atwood, incidentals, No. 8,	9 22
Gustavus Atwood, curtains, No. 2,	1 20
E. C. Churchill, express on books,	2 30
Hathaway & Sampson, stove, No. 8,	3 00
Elva B. Tillson, supplies,	1 10

POOR.

Receipts and expenditures connected with the support of the Poor the past year.

Appropriation,	$1,600 00
Benj Darling, aid Mary A. Eames,	238 92
Town of Middleboro, aid Dora Bradford,	46 50
Chas. S. Bassett, aid returned,	10 00
Emma Chase, aid returned,	10 00
Benj. Dunham, aid returned,	15 00
State, aid Mrs. Hendrickson,	27 23
Balance from last year,	132 40
	$1,979 75
Overdrawn,	183 75
	$2,163 50

The following sums are due to the Poor account from other cities and towns.

Benjamin Darling, aid Mary A. Eames,	$169 46
Town of Middleboro, aid D. Bradford,	75
Town of Middleboro, aid Florence Bradford,	1 25
Town of Middleboro, aid Laura Bradford,	1 00
Town of Plympton, aid Lydia Thrasher,	15 00
Town of Plymouth, aid Doty family,	19 78
City of Fall River, aid Letauneau family,	18 92
State, aid Manuel G. Peno,	12 50
State, aid Herbert Thurston,	13 00
State, aid Antti Pirspanin,	2 00
State, aid John Lobo,	4 50
State, aid Verne Kumbula,	25 50
	$283 66

POOR IN THE ALMSHOUSE.

Paid—

Mrs. M. J. Lamson, matron,	$44 50

Mrs. E. Owers, matron,	12 00
Mrs. C. Bradford, matron,	82 50
Miss Standish, matron,	12 50
S. H. Pink, groceries,	55 24
Ginter Grocery Co., groceries,	4 06
H. Carron, groceries,	37
S. T. Weston, potatoes,	85
L. S. Powers & Co., fish,	3 27
J. H. Washburn, meat,	9 60
J. S. McKay, meat,	18 27
H. C. Robbins, milk,	14 03
Geo. A. Shurtleff, eggs, chickens, etc.,	11 04
T. T. Vaughan, oak wood,	20 55
T. T. Vaughan, pine wood,	12 00
Ida M. Shurtleff, doing chores,	18 20
J. S. Williams, burial Benjamin Dunham,	25 00
E. W. Shaw, digging grave Benjamin Dunham,	2 00
J. H. Davis, sawing wood,	50
C. F. Cornell, sawing wood,	15 51
Mrs. Braddock, cleaning almshouse,	1 35
Dr. G. F. Morse, med. att. Benjamin Dunham,	12 00
Dr. G. F. Morse, med. att. Mrs. Churchill,	2 00
J. E. Wrightington, barbering Benj. Dunham,	75
	$378 09

EXPENSE OUTSIDE THE ALMSHOUSE.

Paid—

Geo. A. Shurtleff, care of tramps,	$ 8 20
S. H. Pink, groceries, Coombs family,	138 95
Ginter Grocery Co., groceries, Coombs family,	19 07
J. H. Washburn, meat, Coombs family,	11 26
J. S. McKay, meat, Coombs family,	39 84
T. T. Vaughan, wood, Coombs family,	25 75
T. M. Cole, wood, Coombs family,	2 25
Robert Shurtleff, wash tub, Coombs family,	95

C. F. Cornell, sawing wood, Coombs family,	10	80
F. A. Ward, milk and eggs, Coombs family,	12	53
Dr. G. F. Morse, med. att., Coombs family,	11	50
Ellis Foundry Co., aid Hall family,	107	41
Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., Hall family,	42	55
Alton H. Griffith Wood, Hall family,	3	50
Ichabod W. Tillson, sawing wood, Hall family,	1	85
Peleg McFarlin, rent, Ann Wrightington,	30	00
Ellis Foundry Co., aid Ann Wrightington,	2	00
Ellis Foundry Co., aid Westgate family,	84	48
Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., Westgate family,	8	00
Taunton Insane Hospital, board Wilson McFarlin,	169	46
Taunton Insane Hospital, board H. D. Morse,	169	46
Taunton Insane Hospital, board Mary A. Eames,	169	46
Taunton Insane Hospital, board Gardner Holmes,	111	96
Medfield Insane Asylum, board A. Sherman,	146	00
Ellis Foundry Co., aid Dotey family,	10	78
Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., Dotey family,	9	00
J. S. Williams, burial of Bassett child,	10	00
Dr. W. D. Shurtleff, med. att. Letourneau family,	15	00
John Pouliot, care Herbert Thurston,	5	00
John S. Williams, burial of Emma F. Chase,	10	00
John S. Williams, burial of Manuel G. Peno,	10	00
J. W. Atwood, digging grave, Manuel G. Peno,	2	50
City of Taunton, aid Alfred F. Lincoln,	4	00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, care of Harvey Atwood at the State Farm,	10	00
Peleg McFarlin, rent, Mrs. A. Stringer,	30	00
James Hennessey, aid Jabez Benson,	15	00
Town of Wareham, aid Stringer family,	106	10
Town of Wareham, med. att., Stringer family,	32	25
Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., Mrs. Wm. Anderson,	60	90
Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., Herbert Thurston,	7	00

Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., Antti Piispanin,	2 00
Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., Manuel G. Peno,	1 00
Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., John Lobo,	4 50
Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., Mrs. A. Stringer,	60 60
Dr. E. H. Cornish, med. att., Verne Kumbula,	25 50
Dr. G. F. Morse, med. att., Lydia Thrasher,	15 00
Dr. G. F. Morse, med. att., Dora Bradford,	75
Dr. G. F. Morse, med. att., Florence Bradford,	1 25
Dr. G. F. Morse, med. att., Laura Bradford,	1 00
Dr. G. F. Morse, Joseph Gagner,	10 00
	$1,785 41
Total expense outside of Almshouse,	378 09
Total expense at Almshouse,	$2,163 50

REPAIR AND FURNISHING ALMSHOUSE.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1901,	$50 00	
Balance from last year,	2 47	
Furniture sold,	2 00	
		$54 47

Cr.

Paid—		
J. E. Wrightington, fixing pump,	$1 00	
T. M. Cole, boards and nails,	1 25	
James Davis, repairing door,	25	
T. T. Vaughan, sundries,	55	
E. E. Gardner, blacksmithing,	2 40	
Robert Shurtleff, wash boiler,	1 50	
		$6 95
Balance to new account,		47 52
		$54 47

STATE AID.

Dr.

Due from the State,		$827 00

Cr.

Abby H. Eddy,,	$24 00	
Mary A. Shaw,	36 00	
John B. Hatch,	48 00	
Abigail Hatch,	48 00	
Isaac Shaw,	48 00	
Ruth A. Shaw,	48 00	
James P. Parker,	12 00	
P. Jane Barrows,	48 00	
Susan A. Shaw,	48 00	
Lucy W. Ide.	48 00	
Lizzie S. Stratton,	48 00	
John F. Stratton,	51 00	
Marcus Bumpus,	36 00	
Nathaniel Ide,	72 00	
Jesse F. Lucas,	40 00	
Charles A. Holmes,	44 00	
Sarah M. Phillips,	28 00	
John Dunham,	36 00	
Hannah Dunham,	36 00	
Samuel S. Atwood,	28 00	
		$827 00

MILITARY AID.

Dr.

One-half paid by the State,	$12 00	
One-half paid by the Town,	12 00	
		$24 00

Cr.

Jesse F. Lucas,	$24 00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Dr.

To balance from 1898,		$100 56

Cr.

Balance to new account,		$100 56

INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1901,		$120 00

Cr.

Paid—		
Thomas Jackson, Insurance on Town House,	$45 00	
Overdrawn in 1900,	61 00	
Balance to new account,	14 00	
		$120 00

SCHOOLHOUSE DISTRICT NO. 4.

Dr.

To balance from 1898,		$9 95

Cr.

Balance to new account,		$9 95

SUPPRESSION OF CRIME.

Dr.

To balance from 1900,	$77 77	
B. A. Hathaway, fines, Eli Thomas case,	16 76	

B. A. Hathaway, fines, C. E Churchill case,	39 38	
		$133 91
Overdrawn,		33 98
		$167 89

Cr.

F. E. Crapo, Parker case,	$ 5 57	
F. E. Crapo, applying case, 1900,	6 90	
James W. Hurley, Bassett case,	4 00	
Fred A. Ward, evidence in George A. Shurtleff case,	50 00	
Samuel Ferguson, Geo. A. Shurtleff case,	25 00	
D. E. Damon, legal services, in Geo. A. Shurtleff case,	10 00	
S. B. Briggs, Christopher Bruce case,	4 28	
S. B. Briggs, Martin Hendrickson case,	21 98	
Samuel Ferguson, Johnson case,	5 98	
Samuel Ferguson, Churchill case,	25 00	
Everett Lincoln,	9 18	
		$167 89

TOWN HOUSE ACCOUNT.

Dr.

To Appropriation, 1901,	$125 00	
Overdrawn in 1900,	86 95	
		$38 05
Still Overdrawn,		6 73
		$44 78

Cr.

Charles E. Vaughan, cleaning,	$ 1 50	
T. T. Vaughan, 7 M. shingles,	24 50	

T. T. Vaughan, staging,	1 00	
John M. Cobb, shingling,	15 50	
W. H. H. Weston, nails,	2 28	
		$44 78

LIBRARY ACCOUNT.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1901,	$125 00	
Balance from last year,	79 11	
		$204 11

Cr.

DeWolf Fiske & Co., books,	$71 39	
James F. White & Co., books,	1 00	
Little, Brown & Co., books,	86 27	
J. K. & B. Sears & Co., shelving,	8 64	
James S. Davis, putting up shelving,	3 50	
Balance to new account,	33 31	
		$204 11

REPAIR OF BRIDGES.

Dr.

Balance from last year,	$197 51	
Rec'd from Town of Middleboro, Fresh Meadow bridge,	167 13	
		$364 64

Cr.

Ralph Holmes, one-half cost of drain,	$ 7 16	
Frank F. Tillson, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	23 00	
Fred F. Brow, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	12 00	

John Wahlgreen, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	10 50	
J. F. Pettie, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	10 50	
Thomas Kaska, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	10 50	
Z. W. Andrews, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	7 50	
Thomas Gammons, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	4 50	
W. T. Jefferson, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	27 07	
S. F. Atwood, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	7 17	
Ellis Foundry Co., nails, Fresh Meadow bridge,	2 75	
Gustavus Atwood, nails, Fresh Meadow bridge,	2 29	
Frank T. Tillson, freight on lumber, Fresh Meadow bridge,	7 30	
H. H. Gammons, labor and team, Fresh Meadow bridge,	5 00	
E. Lloyd Griffith, lumber, Fresh Meadow bridge,	67 55	
Marcus Atwood, lumber, Fresh Meadow bridge,	4 46	
B. K. & H. Sears, lumber, Fresh Meadow bridge,	144 69	
		$353 94
Balance to new account,		10 70
		$364 64

REMOVAL OF SNOW.

Dr.

Balance from last year,	$155 18

Cr.

Balance to new account,	$155 18

REPAIR OF HIGHWAYS.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1901,	$2,000 00	
Balance from last year,	127 69	
		$2,127 69

Cr.

Benjamin W. Robbins, Commissioner.

B. W. Robbins, labor and team,	$347 30
Maurice F. Robbins, labor,	8 50
Benj. Parker, labor,	8 50
Alexander Parker, labor,	4 50
Ezra F. Pearson, labor,	17 00
Geo. W. Thomas, labor and team,	10 50
Geo. W. Thomas, gravel,	3 00
Nelson Sherman, gravel,	3 38
Est. of Eben Sherman, gravel,	65
Benj. Ransom, gravel,	3 35
Estate of Lot S. Lucas, gravel,	1 98
Horace C. Robbins, gravel,	2 25
B. W. Robbins, tools,	5 40
Geo. P. Lincoln, labor,	8 25
John Bourget, labor,	9 00
Alton C. Chandler, labor and team,	9 00
Est. of Geo. W. Thomas, labor and team,	14 00
Waldo Bros., drain pipe,	21 00

Albert Linton, labor,	6 75	
Ammon Broddock, labor,	4 00	
Charles F. Connell, gravel,	4 00	
		$492 31

Oliver L. Shurtleff, Commissioner.

O. L. Shurtleff, labor and team	$179 25	
Webster C. Vaughan, ditto,	35 45	
E. H. Murdock, ditto,	61 20	
J. Myrick Bump, ditto,	76 34	
A. Freeman Cornish, labor,	59 25	
Edgar Holmes, labor,	1 50	
James H. Peckham, labor,	40 83	
Henry M. Peckham, labor,	28 83	
Charles Bushman, labor,	18 16	
Albert W. Shurtleff, labor,	37 67	
Herbert F. Atwood, labor and team,	26 45	
H. T. Maxim, ditto,	19 50	
Alton Chandler, labor,	1 02	
Frank T. Gibbs, labor,	6 83	
Geo. W. Atwood, labor,	11 28	
Lucius Atwood, labor,	4 75	
Frank E. Barrows, labor and team,	3 50	
S. T. Weston, gravel,	6 51	
William C. Richards, gravel,	4 85	
E. W. Shaw, gravel,	9 04	
E. E. Shaw, gravel,	12 40	
T. T. Vaughan, gravel,	3 34	
Mrs. Leonard, gravel,	2 52	
Mrs. Nye, gravel,	6 10	
Geo. W. Atwood, gravel,	1 00	
J. A. Vaughan, tools,	1 65	
O. L. Shurtleff, guide post and setting,	1 00	
		$660 22

CARVER, Jan. 23, 1902.

To the Selectmen of Carver—

Gentlemen,—Owing to other business which will take most of my time, I wish to resign my office of Road Commissioner, to take effect March 3, 1902.

O. L. SHURTLEFF.

Frank F. Tillson, Commissioner.

Frank F. Tillson, labor and team,	$110 43	
Arthur Nickerson, labor,	31 15	
Ernest Dunham, labor,	67	
Warren Howland, labor,	1 50	
Fred. F. Brow, labor,	37 83	
Albert B. Smith, labor,	24 82	
Z. W. Andrews, labor and team,	74 22	
H. H. Gammons, ditto,	50 27	
Harvey T. Atwood, labor,	9 00	
Thomas Kaska, labor,	41 83	
John Walgreen, labor,	38 00	
Arthur Atwood, labor,	15 33	
E. H. Murdock, labor,	9 00	
William Hendrickson, labor,	18 00	
William T. Gibbs, labor,	10 00	
John Gummerus, labor,	10 50	
William Malin, labor,	6 00	
Ichabod Shurtleff, gravel,	12 72	
William T. Gibbs, gravel,	5 13	
		$508 40
		$1,660 93
Balance to new account,		466 76
		$2,127 69

NEW ROAD AT SOUTH CARVER.

Dr.

To balance from last year,		$227 62
Overdrawn,		220 90
		$448 52

Cr.

Paid—		
Frank F. Tillson, labor and team,	$85 61	
Z. W. Andrews, ditto,	80 42	
H. H. Gammons, ditto,	53 42	
Fred. F. Brow, labor,	42 25	
Albert B. Smith, labor,	16 50	
Arthur Atwood, ditto,	15 00	
Arthur Nickerson, ditto,	16 00	
Thomas Kaska, ditto,	45 50	
W. T. Jefferson, dynamite,	2 50	
John Walgreen, labor,	22 75	
William Hendrickson, labor,	26 50	
John Gummerus, labor,	22 91	
William Malin, labor,	19 16	
		$448 52

STONE ROAD AT NORTH CARVER.

Dr.

To appropriation 1901,	$700 00	
Rec'd from the State,	800 00	
Rec'd from Town of Hanson, packing up machine,	7 50	
Rec'd from B. W. Robbins, plank,	10 00	
Rec'd from B. W. Robbins, mittens sold,	1 00	
Rec'd from B. W. Robbins, pump sold,	2 00	
		$1,520 50

Cr.

Paid—

B. W. Robbins labor and team,	$309	48
T. T. Vaughan, ditto,	134	18
Webster C. Vaughan, ditto,	148	96
T. M. Cole, ditto,	6	00
L. Powers, ditto,	25	00
Richard Hatch, labor,	42	24
T. T. Vaughan, plank for platform,	27	18
Ezra F. Pearson, labor,	30	66
Benj. Parker, labor,	8	17
John Stratton, labor,	22	50
Geo. Lincoln, labor,	3	00
Henry Burgers, labor,	36	25
Reuben Braddock, labor,	39	05
John Garnett, labor,	30	44
W. D. Bruce, labor,		75
H. Basworth, team, moving machine from Halifax,	14	00
Maurice F. Robbins, labor,	38	58
Charles Braddock, labor,	4	25
Frank E. Barrows, labor and team,	3	75
Harry Shurtleff, ditto,	2	80
J. S. McKay, use of cart,	5	13
Geo. A. Shurtleff, stone,	2	00
J. L. Jenney, coal for steam roller,	16	86
A. P. Robbins, labor and team,	14	58
Town of Plympton, use of horse roller,	1	00
Town of Halifax, packing up machine,	7	50
Mr. Flagg, engineer,	70	00
T. M. Cole, wood and team,	23	65
Geo. W. Thomas, labor and team,	66	00
Ammon Braddock, labor,	12	66
Horace Thrasher, labor,	20	33
John Bouzet, labor,	4	50

Fred. Nelson, labor,	26 16	
Ellis Chornish, labor and team,	38 88	
Roswell Shurtleff, ditto,	80 20	
T. T. Vaughan, slabs,	12 00	
T. T. Vaughan, cash paid for mittens,	2 00	
T. T. Vaughan, 5 lb. Albany grease, steam roller,	1 25	
T. T. Vaughan, 1 gal. machine oil,	50	
Charles Dexter, running steam roller,	42 50	
Charles Dexter, man to flag steam roller,	2 00	
Charles Dexter, coal, steam roller,	75	
Town of Halifax, use of sprinkler,	10 00	
William S. Mulligan, stone hammers,	5 25	
Good Roads Machine Co., use of crusher and engine,	78 70	
C. E. Churchill, express,	70	
E. E. Gardner, blacksmithing,	3 19	
J. & G. E. Downe, pumps, plow, etc.,	16 00	
		$1,505 03
Balance to a new account,		15 47
		$1,520 50

There has been built one half mile of this macadam road, fifteen feet wide, at a cost of 56 1-2 cents per running foot.

This being my first attempt at stone road building, together with the fact that it had to be built in September, when I had to pay higher wages to men and teams, made the cost higher.

I think, from the experience gained in building, that macadam road can be built in this town for 50 cents per running foot. As to the advantage of this kind of road over common roads, one has only to ride over it to see for themselves.

BENJ. W. ROBBINS,
Road Commissioner.

INCIDENTAL TOWN EXPENSES.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1901,	$300 00	
Balance from last year,	665 38	
F. L. Randall, license to peddle,	6 00	
Arthur N. Wood, ditto,	6 00	
Sale of herrings,	5 66	
Wm. E. Savery, agent, loan,	7,500 00	
J. A. Vaughan and others, trustees, loan,	1,000 00	
Corporation tax,	893 16	
National Bank tax,	675 16	
Shurtleff heirs, redeeming land sold,	36 76	
Interest on taxes,	122 72	
		$11,210 84

Cr.

Paid—		
Wood & Tinkham, printing town reports,	$112 00	
T. T. Vaughan, express on town reports,	1 35	
T. T. Vaughan, stationery,	1 10	
J. S. Williams, disinfecting South Carver school house,	3 00	
Dr. W. D. Shurtleff, returning births,	50	
Dr. G. F. Morse, ditto,	1 50	
Dr. G. F. Morse, returning deaths,	4 25	
E. W. Shaw, ditto,	50	
J. W. Atwood, ditto,	1 25	
Seth C. C. Finney, stamps, pens, etc.,	2 25	
Charles S. Davis, legal advice,	1 00	
Cecil T. Bagnall, assessors' books,	2 34	
Allen Bros., badges, etc.,	8 10	
The Memorial Press, printing,	6 75	

J. A. Vaughan, writing deed for No. 8 schoolhouse lot, and paying for recording same,	75	
J. A. Vaughan, cash paid, Treasurer's demand notices,	1 00	
J. S. Fairbank & Co., pauper blanks,	1 40	
Thomas Jackson, Treasurer's bond,	16 00	
Florence Vaughan, assessors' clerk,	9 75	
Geo. A. Shurtleff, team for Selectmen,	6 00	
Thomas Groom & Co., tax collector's book,	1 85	
Florence Vaughan, copying valuation book,	10 00	
Board of Cattle Commissioners, branding stamp,	1 75	
T. T. Vaughan, car fare, postage, exp., etc.,	14 16	
H. S. Griffith, express and postage,	5 43	
Harry Washburn, schoolhouse lot No. 8,	35 00	
Interest on money hired,	218 69	
Shurtleff land, redeemed by owners after tax sale,	121 76	
Incidental town expenses,		$589 43
State tax,		542 50
County tax,		1,054 89
William E. Savery, agent, money hired,		7,500 00
Chas. Griffith, cemetery fund loan,		514 00
		$10,198 82
Balance to new account,		1,012 02
		$11,210 84

FIGHTING FIRE.

Cr.

North Carver Fire.

Paid—		
Oliver L. Shurtleff,	$	30
Bert. Shurtleff,		30
Freeman Cornish,		30
Percy Shurtleff,	10	40
Arthur Shurtleff,		30
Mr. Studley,		30
A. C. Bradford,		30
Horace Robbins,	3	90
Frank Richard,	2	10
Henry Pink,	1	70
John Thompson,		30
Geo. Thomas 2d,		30
Dura Weston,		90
O. F. Stetson,		90
E. E. Gardner,	1	60
L. Powers,		60
Joseph Washburn,		60
Joseph Rickard,		60
Henry Burgess,	1	00
Walter Dunham,		60
T. Hartley,		60
B. W. Robbins,	4	55
Maurice F. Robbins,	4	10
E. F. Pearson,	4	80
Benj. Parker,	3	60
Mr. Ellis,		60
John S. Atwood,		60
Roswell Shurtleff,		60
Lloyd C. Robbins,	3	00
Arnold L. Hammond,		40
Embert H. Eames,		40

R. F. Shurtleff,	80
John Garnett,	2 40
T. M. Cole,	7 40
Frank Bernies,	60
E. H. Murdock,	80
H. T. Maxim,	80
Seth C. C. Finney,	6 55

South Carver Fire.

Elmer F. Whitmore,	$ 80
Walter Cahoon,	60
Louis Catti,	40
Louis Stefin,	40
Alex. Lodi,	40
Frank Peno,	20
Willie Kelley,	20

Fire from A. P. Vaughan & Son's Bog.

Manuel Peno,	$ 5 80
Bras Peno,	4 00
Philip Peno,	4 00
Rufus Peno,	3 00
Anbilhil Cebral,	2 40
Felena Barrows,	4 00
Manuel Barrows,	4 00
Antone Barrows,	4 00
Manuel Santant,	2 40
Robert Hinchire,	2 80
James Murphy,	2 80
Patrick Flynn,	2 80
Lloyd Robbins,	1 25
Percy Shurtleff,	1 25
L. Powers,	1 25
E. E. Shaw,	2 40
Mell Minnihan,	2 80
R. E. Holmes,	2 20
F. H. Holmes,	1 80

John E. Atwood,	1 60	
F. E. Barrows,	1 60	
Ammon Braddock,	1 60	
H. F. Atwood,	1 60	
Theo. B. Cardozo,	2 80	
Sylvester B. Silva,	2 80	
Philip B. Silva,	2 80	
Benj. Cardozo,	4 20	
John S. Pnolo,	4 20	
Goudent Reis,	4 20	
E. H. Murdock,	2 00	
Lucian Atwood,	2 00	
T. W. Southworth,	1 40	
Frank F. Tillson,	1 60	
H. H. Gammons,	1 00	
Joseph Lewendo,	1 00	
Zepheniah Andrews,	1 00	
John Andrews,	1 60	
F. M. Chase,	3 00	
F. M. Chase, horse,	15	
H. Jacobs,	2 65	
W. F. Stanley,	1 40	
G. H. Long,	1 20	
G. H. Long, horse,	90	
Arthur N. Kenney,	1 40	
Marcus Atwood,	1 20	
Marcus Atwood, horse,	90	
Thomas Gibbs,	1 20	
S. D. Atwood,	1 20	
Lemuel N. Crocker,	1 60	
Joseph Peters,	4 00	
Manuel Peters,	4 00	
Victor Anderson,	1 00	
		$192 85

TOWN OFFICERS.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1901,	$1,200 00	
Overdrawn in 1900,	307 14	
	$892 86	
One-half cattle inspection, returned from the State,	10 00	
		$902 86
Still overdrawn,		134 41
		$1,037 27

Cr.

Paid—	
J. A. Vaughan, Treasurer and Collector,	$284 52
S. H. Pink, Auditor,	10 00
E. B. Perkins, School Committee,	23 75
Seth C. C. Finney, Selectman and Overseer of Poor,	15 00
Bernice E. Barrows, Librarian,	50 00
T. T. Vaughan, Assessor,	42 50
W. A. Tillson, Assessor,	36 25
Fred A. Ward, Assessor,	30 00
S. B. Briggs, Constable, 1901,	9 00
S. B. Briggs, Truant Officer,	1 00
J. E. Vaughan, Truant Officer,	12 25
B. W. Robbins, Cattle Inspector,	20 75
T. T. Vaughan, Selectman,	71 25
T. T. Vaughan, Overseer of the Poor,	20 00
T. T. Vaughan, Registrar,	10 75
W. A. Tillson, Selectman,	38 50
W. A. Tillson, Overseer of the Poor,	11 50
W. A. Tillson, Registrar,	10 75
Fred A. Ward, Selectman,	18 00
Fred A. Ward, Overseer of the Poor,	15 00

Fred A. Ward, Registrar,	4 00	
Gustavus Atwood, School Committee,	63 00	
Seth C. C. Finney, School Committee,	70 00	
Henry S. Griffith, School Committee,	21 50	
J. E. Vaughan, Constable,	75 00	
H. S. Griffith, Town Clerk,	50 00	
Geo. P. Lincoln, Teller, election day,	1 50	
Albert F. Atwood, Teller, election day,	1 50	
Alton H. Griffith, Herring Committee,	2 50	
Seth C. C. Finney, Purchasing Agent,	15 00	
Seth C. C. Finney, taking school census,	2 50	
		$1,037 27

MEMORIAL DAY.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1900,	$15 00

Cr.

Paid E. W. Pierce, Post 8,	$15 00

ADDITION TO HIGH SCHOOL HOUSE.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1901,	$500 00	
Overdrawn,	92 30	
		$592 30

Cr.

Paid—	
T. E. Blandin, contract,	$500 00
T. E. Blandin, extra work,	8 30
T. T. Vaughan, services as Committee,	5 00

T. T. Vaughan, going to Wareham one day,	2 00	
Geo. A. Shurtleff, use of team,	2 50	
Seth C. C. Finney, service as Committee,	15 50	
Peleg McFarlin, services as Committee,	2 00	
Albert Humphrey, furnace and setting,	57 00	
		$592 30

NEW SCHOOL HOUSE.

Dr.

Overdrawn in 1900,	$269 66

Cr.

Still Overdrawn,	$269 66

MARKING GRAVES OF TOWN POOR.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1901,	$25 00

Cr.

Balance to new account,	$25 00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Dr.

To appropriation, 1901,	$250 00

Cr.

Balance to new account,	250 00

TOWN ASSETS.

Cash in the Treasury,	$308 40	
Due from State Aid, paid soldiers, and soldiers' wives and widows,	839 00	
Due from State Aid, State paupers,	57 50	
Due from cities and towns, aid paupers,	56 67	
Dividend from dog licenses, estimated,	170 00	
Uncollected taxes, 1896,	2 98	
Uncollected taxes, 1897,	16 80	
Uncollected taxes, 1898,	137 10	
Uncollected taxes, 1899,	503 79	
Uncollected taxes, 1900,	807 38	
Uncollected taxes, 1901,	2,023 74	
Fifty shares Plymouth & Middleboro Railroad Stock,	1,500 00	
		$6,423 36

TOWN LIABILITIES.

Bills for support of poor, estimated,	$50 00	
All other demands, estimated,	350 00	
Note to J. A. Vaughan and other trustees,	1,000 00	
		$1,400 00
Assets over liabilities,		5,023 36
		$6,423 36

APPROPRIATIONS, 1992.

The following sums of money are recommended to meet current expenses the ensuing year:

Support of poor, by Overseers of Poor,	$1,900 00
Support of schools, by School Committee,	3,600 00
School books and incidentals, by School Committee,	550 00

Repair of school houses, by School Committee,	550 00
Transportation of scholars, by School Committee,	———
Repair of highways, by Road Commissioners,	2,000 00
Repair of bridges, by Road Commissioners,	100 00
Removal of snow, by Road Commissioners,	———
Town incidentals, by Selectmen,	300 00
Town officers' salaries, by Selectmen,	1,200 00
Fighting fire, by Selectmen,	192 85
Repair of town house, by Selectmen,	25 00
Suppression of crime, by Selectmen,	———
Library,	———
Addition to high school house, by Building Committee,	92 30
Military Aid, by the Selectemen,	100 00

LIST OF JURORS.

The following list of Jurors is presented for your revision and acceptance.

Alfred M. Shaw, cranberry grower.
John A. Kenney, peddler.
W. A. Tillson, cranberry grower,
J. A. Vaughan, seedsman.
Arthur H. Wade, laborer.
E. E. Gardner, blacksmith
T. M. Cole, box manufacturer.
William E. W. Vaughan, laborer.
Ira B. Bumpus, cranberry grower.
Truman A. Tillson, cranberry grower.
James S. Hudson, laborer.
Elmer B. Perkins, school teacher.
A. Sampson Perkins, cranberry grower.
George E. White, farmer.
Fred A. Ward, farmer.
J. Myrick Bump, farmer.

T. T. VAUGHAN,
W. A. TILLSON,
FRED A. WARD,
Selectmen of Carver.

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

Raised by taxation, 1901—		
Support of poor,	1,600 00	
Support of schools,	2,600 00	
Repairs of highways,	2,000 00	
School books and incidentals,	400 00	
Transportation of scholars,	300 00	
Town incidentals,	300 00	
Town officers,	1,200 00	
Fire at So. Carver,	1,528 13	
Public library,	125 00	
Repairs of school houses,	326 00	
Insurance,	120 00	
Repair and furnishing almshouse,	50 00	
Repair of town house,	125 00	
Addition to high school house,	500 00	
Stone road at North Carver,	700 00	
Supt. of Schools,	250 00	
Moving school house, Dist. No. 8,	150 00	
Marking graves of town paupers,	25 00	
		$12,299 13
State tax,	$542 50	
County tax,	1,054 89	
		$1,597 39
		$13,896 52
Value of personal estate,		$259,345 00
Value of real estate,		$697,285 00
		$956,630 00

Increase in value of real estate in 1901,	$23,970 00	
Increase in value of personal estate in 1901,	23,755 00	
		$47,755 00
Tax rate per $1,000,		$12 50
Poll tax,		2 00
Number of polls,		229
Number of persons taxed,		608
On poll only,		55
On property,		553
Number of horses,		196
Number of cows,		127
Number of cattle other than cows,		20
Number of sheep,		17
Number of swine,		33
Number of dwelling houses,		392
Number of acres of land,		21,001
Number of acres cranberry bog,		1,358
Valuation of cranberry bog,		$359,119 00

TOWN MEETING.

Contents of warrant for Town Meeting to be held at the Town House on Monday, the 3rd day of March next, at nine o'clock a. m.

ART. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

ART. 2. To see if the town will accept the jury list as prepared by the Selectmen.

ART. 3. To see if the town will accept the report of the Selectmen and other town officers

ART. 4. To choose all necessary town officers.

ART. 5. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges the ensuing year.

ART. 6. To determine the compensation for labor on the highway.

ART. 7. To decide when taxes shall become due, and whether any interest shall be charged after a certain date.

ART. 8. To see what pay the town will vote the Treasurer and Collector for the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To see if the town will instruct the Treasurer to borrow money under the direction of the Selectmen, if found necessary, in anticipation of taxes the ensuing year.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to make the yards of field drivers town pounds, provided they also be chosen pound keepers.

ART. 11. To bring in their ballots, Yes, or No, upon the question, " Shall licenses be granted in the town for the sale of intoxicating liquors? " And the polls will be kept open one hour.

Art. 12. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to prosecute, compromise or defend any suits for or against the town.

Art. 13. To see if the town will survey the great lot and shore lines in the South Meadow cedar swamp, and appropriate money for the same. By request of J. M. Bump.

T. T. VAUGHAN,
W. A. TILLSON,
FRED. A. WARD,
Selectmen of Carver.

REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK.

RECORD OF MEETING MARCH 4, 1901.

Meeting called to order on warrant read by Town Clerk, at nine o'clock.

George P. Lincoln and Nelson F. Manter appointed tellers and sworn.

For Moderator Seth C. C. Finney had twenty-six votes. Declared elected.

Voted to accept the following jury list as prepared by the Selectmen: Alton H. Griffith, John F. Stratton, W. A. Tillson, J. A. Vaughan, Charles H. Atwood, E. E. Gardner, T. M. Cole, Wm. E. W. Vaughan, Ira B. Bumpus, Lawrence M. Rogers, Truman A. Tillson, James S. Hudson, Maurice F. Robbins, C. F. Washburn, Geo. T Johnson, Fred. A. Ward, Lloyd C. Robbins, Thomas Gibbs.

Voted to accept the reports of the town officers.

For Town Clerk Peleg McFarlin had one vote; James A. Vaughan had two votes; Henry S. Griffith had twenty-six votes. Henry S. Griffith declared elected and sworn.

Voted that the Selectmen be also chosen as Assessors and Overseers of Poor.

For Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor T. T. Vaughan had one hundred and fourteen votes; W. A. Tillson had one hundred and fourteen votes; Seth C. C. Finney had fifty-six votes; Fred A. Ward had fifty-eight votes. T. T. Vaughan, W. A. Tillson, Fred. A. Ward declared elected and sworn. Also took special oath of Assessors.

Voted that the Treasurer be also chosen Collector of Taxes.

For Treasurer and Collector James A. Vaughan had twenty-six votes. Declared elected and sworn.

For School Committee, three years, Elmer B. Perkins had fifty-four votes; Henry S. Griffith had seventy-five votes. Henry S. Griffith declared elected and sworn.

For Constables Samuel B. Briggs had sixty-eight votes; J. Erville Vaughan had fifty-five votes; Frank E. Crapo had fifty-three votes; George Blair had fourteen votes; James J. Ryan had four votes; Geo. P. Lincoln had one vote; Roswell Shurtleff had ten votes; John M. Cobb had four votes; Herbert Atwood had one vote; E. E. Gardner had two votes; John M. Andrews had one vote; Geo. E. White had one vote; P. M. Swan had one vote; William Gibbs had one vote; Joseph H. Washburn had one vote. Samuel B. Briggs, J. Erville Vaughan and F. E. Crapo declared elected and sworn.

Voted to elect two Auditors.

For Auditors S. H. Pink had nine votes; J. M. Bump had two votes; E. G. Cornish had four votes; John Bent had four votes; T. M. Southworth had two votes; Lucius Atwood had three votes; A. M. Shaw had one vote; Wm. Shaw had one vote; Peleg McFarlin had one vote; Horace

Robbins had one vote. S. H. Pink declared elected. Sworn by Seth C. C. Finney, J. P.

For Library Trustee, three years, Albert T. Shurtleff had nineteen votes; T. T. Vaughan had seven votes. Albert T. Shurtleff declared elected.

For Road Commissioner, three years, Oliver L. Shurtleff had thirty-eight votes. Declared elected and sworn.

For Tree Warden J. M. Bump had seventeen votes. Declared elected and sworn.

Elected by viva voce vote.

Field Drivers and Pound Keepers: Alton H. Griffith, Samuel B. Briggs, Wm. T. Gibbs.

Fence Viewers: Samuel B. Briggs, Charles Cornell, T. T. Vaughan.

Surveyors of Lumber and Measurers of Wood: S. D. Atwood, Marcus Atwood, Thomas Gibbs.

Recess of thirty minutes declared.

Meeting called to order at twelve o'clock, thirty minutes.

Voted to suspend the rules and act upon unfinished business left over from last annual town meeting.

Voted to accept the report of the committee on moving the No. 8 school house.

Voted that the Treasurer of Carver be authorized and instructed to purchase of Harry E. Washburn in the name of the inhabitants of Carver, a tract of land not to exceed one acre in area, on the east side of Bates' pond bordering on the highway, and to have all necessary papers recorded at the office of the Registrar of Deeds. The price to be paid not to exceed thirty-five dollars per acre, to be taken from the incidental account.

Voted that the School Committee be authorized and instructed to move the No. 8 school house to the lot as authorized to or purchased by vote of the town; said expense not to exceed one hundred and fifty dollars.

Voted that Art. 14 of the town meeting warrant of March, 1900, be taken from the table.

Voted to postpone above article indefinitely.

Voted that Art. 15 of the town meeting warrant of March, 1900, be taken from the table.

Voted that the above article be postponed indefinitely.

Acting under Art. 17 of the town meeting warrant of 1900, voted to authorize the Overseers of the Poor to mark the graves of the town poor.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five dollars for the purpose of marking the graves of the town's poor, and that the Overseers of the Poor be requested to report in the next annual report.

Voted to raise or appropriate the following sums:

Moving No. 8 school house,	$ 150 00
Support of poor,	1,600 00
Support of schools,	2,600 00
Repairs of highways,	2,000 00
School books and incidentals,	400 00
Transportation of scholars.	300 00
Town incidentals,	300 00
Salaries of town officers,	1,200 00
Fighting fire,	1,528 13
Public library,	125 00
Repairs of school houses,	326 00
Insurance on library, etc.,	120 00
Repairs and furnishings, almshouse,	50 00
Repairs on Town House,	125 00

Voted that no appropriation be made for repairs of bridges or removal of snow.

Voted that compensation for labor on the highway be left to the discretion of the Road Commissioners.

Voted that taxes become due Sept. 1, and interest be charged after Nov. 1.

Voted that the pay of the Treasurer and Collector be the same as last year.

Voted to instruct the Collector to present his bills Sept. 1.

Voted that the yards of Field Drivers be town pounds, and that the Field Drivers be also chosen Pound Keepers.

Voted not to authorize the Treasurer to borrow money under the direction of the Selectmen in anticipation of taxes.

Voted in answer to the question, " Shall license be granted in the town for the sale of intoxicating liquors? " Yes, 14; No, 64.

Voted to reconsider action taken under Art. 9.

Voted to authorize the Treasurer to borrow money under the direction of the Selectmen if found necessary in anticipation of taxes.

Voted to instruct the Selectmen to prosecute, compromise or defend any suits for or against the town.

Voted to build a recitation room for use of the high school.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00 for the purpose of building the recitation room.

Voted that the Moderator appoint a committee of three to superintend the building of the recitation room.

Under the above order the Moderator appointed as a building committee: Seth C. C. Finney, Theodore T. Vaughan, Peleg McFarlin.

Voted not to accept the provisions of Chap. 254, Acts of 1897.

Voted to concur in the proposed change in the town line between Carver and Wareham as recommended by the Massachusetts Topographical Survey Commission.

Voted that the thanks of the town be extended to the Moderator for the ability and fairness with which he has presided in this meeting.

APPOINTMENTS BY SELECTMEN DURING 1901.

The following appointments were made by the Selectmen during the year 1901:

Inspector of Animals: Benjamin W. Robbins.

Forest Fire Wardens: Seth C. C. Finney, Henry T. Hammond, Eugene E. Shaw, E. Herman Murdock, Marcus Atwood, Gustavus Atwood, Joseph Morris, Franklyn Chase, Peleg McFarlin, Frank Tillson, Henry H Gammons.

Public Auctioneer: Benjamin Ransom.

Public Weighers: James J. Ryan, Henry S. Griffith.

Burial Agent: E. Watson Shaw.

Inspector of Meat: A. C. Bradford.

Special Police: Benjamin Ransom, Geo. E. Blair, Roswell Shurtleff. James J. Ryan, Seth C. C. Finney, Joseph Morris.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN CARVER IN 1901.

Jan. 1. Philander W. Southworth and Estella J. Shaw.
Jan. 1. Arthur H. Hammond and Rebecca L. Robbins.
Jan. 14. Alton H. Griffith and Lena F. Tillson.
Feb. 27. Lucas Anderson and Effie L. Stringer.
Apr. 2. Joseph A. Ingalls and Millie B. Robinson.
Apr. 20. Seth C. C. Finney and Laura L. Leaming.
Aug. 8. Edwin H. Jennison and Clarabel Dunnigan.
Oct. 2. Joshua Sturtevant and Alice B. Cornell.
Nov. 21. Antti Yokipi and Sandra Sarijaris.
Nov. 23. Victor Erickson and Helga M. Kumpernon.
Dec. 7. Kusta Kittila and Anna S. Haapakaski.
Dec. 22. Harry O. Hawkes and Hannah C. Southworth.
Dec. 28. Oscar Johnson and Alvira Harpeinen.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN CARVER DURING THE YEAR 1901.

Date.	Name.	Age. Y.	M.	D.	Cause.	Parents.
Jan. 9	Sarah Maxim	86	4	—	Old age	Thomas Custis and Nancy (Haws).
" 13	Myra Z. Bassett	2	3	4	Diphtheria	Charles and Annie (Fries).
" 30	Benjamin Dunham	89	7	10	Senility	Ebenezer and Priscilla (Morton).
Feb.	Rosanna Murray	—	4	—	Bronchitis	Joseph and Mary Q. (Goodbean)
" 4	Bathsheba K. Robbins	76	6	—	——— ———	George Williams and Phebe (King).
" 9	William Tillson	81	10	21	——— ———	Thomas and Betsey (Barrows).
" 16	Ansel R. Churchill	71	7	—	Heart failure, asthma	Winslow and ———.
March 5	Sarah L. Ransom	63	1	20	——— ———	——— ———.
" 24	Daniel B. Hines	82	4	—	——— ———	Joseph and Esther (Godfrey.)
" 25	Teresa M. Dunham	31	10	—	——— ———	Daniel and Eunice (Shurtleff).
April 21	Mary L. Holmes	57	3	3	Tuberculosis phthisis	Lewis Pratt and Amanda (Shurtleff).
" 26	Emma F. Chace	1	6	—	Diphtheria [disease	James D. and Letitia (Westgate).
May 20	George W. S. Thomas	44	5	14	Eudocarditis or mitral	John and Mary (Pierce).
June 2	Emanuel G. Pena	30	—	—	Angina pectaris	Lorenzo and Mary (Geras).
" 17	Nancy M. Atwood	79	1	7	Apoplexy	Thompson Murdock and Lucy (Atwood).
" 23	George W. Linton	32	11	12	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Robert and Mary G. (Elberton).
July 7	Mercy J. Atwood	62	8	4	Congestion of lungs	John McFarlin and Rebecca (Blackman).
" 13	Lafayette Braddock	61	4	12	Cerebral hemorrhage	——— Ellen (Dustan).
" 28	Nathaniel Shurtleff	79	9	28	——— ———	Nathaniel and Hannah (Shaw).
Aug. 2	Matthias Pratt	61	9	16	Degeneration of heart	Lewis and Amanda (Shurtleff).
" 9	Harriet Champeny	91	2	26	Fracture of hip	Asa Humphrey and Mary (Maxim).
" 15	James Breach	72	2	—	Peritonitis	William and Hannah (Dexter).
" 17	Lot S. Lucas	69	11	19	Typhoid fever	Abijah and Hannah (Shurtleff).
" 25	Gardner E. Holmes	56	—	—	Acute catarrhal enteritis	Jacob and Ann (Macomber).
Sept. 7	Juliet S. Hart	—	4	18	Cholera infantum	Frank and Edith (Hudson).
" 22	Eunice E. Hammond	—	—	14	Inanition	Arthur H. and Rebecca L. (Robbins).
" 26	John G. Haapakaski	1	—	17	Cholera infantum	John and ———.
Oct. 12	Belmont B. Pennington	—	—	—	Cholera infantum	John and Cora (Brownell).
" 19	Joseph Janier	4	7	22	Membraneous croup	Joseph and Cloris (Oudlett).
" 16	John Goodwin	71	—	—	Paralysis	John and Mary (Gifford).
" 19	Almira L. Maxim	73	—	26	Cerebral degeneration	Sampson McFarlin and Polly S. (Shurtleff).
Nov. 13	Jonathan B. Perkins	65	—	4	Paralysis of heart	Jonathan and Ruth (Ripley).
" 15	Hannah D. Barrows	78	3	—	Cancer	Benjamin Chace and ——— (Pratt).
Dec. 3	George W. Ford	34	1	24	Pulmonary tuberculosis	C. Julius and Lydia A. (Damon).
" 3	Hessie Stringer	52	—	—	Consumption	Josiah Holmes and Betsey (Morton).
" 19	Ellis F. Lanman	77	6	—	Cancer	Samuel and Temperance ——.
May 12	William Pare	58	—	—	Phthisis pulmonalis	Joseph and Elizabeth (Bassonautt).

BIRTHS IN CARVER IN 1901.

Date.		Name.	Parents.
Jan.	11	Rosie Celina Leterneau	Louis and Emma (Douguet).
Feb.	8	Victor W. Garvin	Charles A. and Marion (Hudson).
April	7	Leslie D. Atwood	Oliver F. and ——— (Dennis).
"	20	Juliet S. Hart	Frank and Edith (Hudson).
"	26	Andrew F. Bumpus	Ira B. and Carrie (Howland).
"	30	Louisa A. Dimond	Fred. A. ——— (Merritt).
May	18	Evelyn M. Sherman	Charles A. and Nellie W. (Sherman).
"	19	Irving D. Potter	Charles D. and Bertha (Johnson).
July	14	Evelyn M. McFarlin	Jason B and L. Isadore (Manter).
"	29	Merton T. Griffith	Alonzo D. and Mabel (Gammons).
"	30	Flora E Thrasher	Horace and Lydia (Cobb).
Aug.	15	Leonard F. Shurtleff	Albert W. and ——— (Pelham).
"	25	Winthrop E. Messier	Fred. and ——— (Beauchiman).
Sept.	9	Eunice E. Hammond	Arthur and Lulu R. (Robbins)
"	12	Elen J. Nuland	Carl G. and ——— (Hangus).
Oct.	16	Lillian H. Robbins	Maurice F. and ——— (Linton).
"	27	Nelson H. Story	Nelson and Ethel J. (Andrews).
Dec.	3	George Atwood Perkins	Elmer B. and Flora M. (Atwood).
"	8	Joseph E. Wrightington	Joseph E. and Mabel D. (Shurtleff).
"	9	——— ———	George A. and Syvill (Shurtleff).
		Edgar S. Holmes	Edgar L. and ——— (Whidden).

SUMMARY:

Births, 20; marriages, 13; deaths, 37.
Dogs licensed: Male, 103; female, 12.

The laws relating to the returns of births and deaths are so vaguely understood that I again call attention to them.

The statute says: "Physicians and midwives shall on or before the fifth day of each month, return to the Town Clerk all births of the preceding month at which they officiated." The law further requires the parents to notify the Town Clerk within forty days of a birth; or, as a further safeguard, the Town Clerk is required to make an annual canvass. But in nearly all cases a physician is in attendance, and if he would make returns once a month a satisfactory system would be established. * * * * Before moving a body the undertaker or other person in charge is required to get a permit from the Town Clerk, and before such permit is granted the Clerk should be provided with a physician's certificate and with necessary facts for registration. Through a misunderstanding of this law on the part of the sextons duplicate returns of all deaths in Carver the last year have been made.

Before moving the body of a person whose death was caused by a contagious disease (including membraneous croup) the undertaker or other person in charge should first secure a certificate from the Board of Health or Selectmen acting as such, showing that the law has been complied with, and file this certificate with the Town Clerk when making application for a permit for burial or removal. If this is complied with disagreeable delays may be averted.

I am prepared to furnish blanks for the return of births and deaths according to Chap. 444, Sec. 17, Acts of 1897.

HENRY S. GRIFFITH,
Clerk of Carver.

SCHOOL REPORT.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Citizens of Carver—

Your School Committee would submit their annual report, giving the usual statistical table, the roll of honor, a statement of finances, and such information relative to the condition of the schools and buildings as seem to them the citizens would naturally call for. By a careful perusal of the statistical table a citizen may learn more of the doings of their committee and the privileges accorded to the children of the town than is usually given in lengthy essays. There are some things we may write that the citizens should know that are not given in the tableted page. We do not purpose to burden the town with a lengthy essay. Perhaps at no time during the eighteen different years that your chairman has served the town in the capacity of School Committee have you had a board so distinct in their views as are the present board, and with due deference to each knowing well the position we are forced to occupy by direct votes of the town, will simply place before you the facts relative to our schools, trusting that the future action of our citizens will right any apparent wrong that may now exist. We do not propose to censure the town, as we feel that its action has been taken in sincerity, a proof of which is given in the munificence of its appropriations for its educational interests. The appropriations for 1901 for the varied school purposes, ranging in the aggregate in advance of any previous yearly appropriation in the history of the town, has encouraged your committee to give to the pupils of the town, with the increased number of schools, the amount of schooling, with faithful instructors, as is required by the statutes, and keeping us in a central posi-

tion with the advantages given by other towns to their pupils.

There have been but few changes in our corps of teachers during the year. Mr. N. F. Atwood resigned his position at District No. 2 at the close of the winter term to continue his studies at Mount Hermon school, having taught two terms satisfactorily. The position was filled with Miss Etta O. Poland, a graduate of the Girls' Latin school, Boston, and a student of Wellesley college. The committee have regarded her efforts with much favor, and she has worked hard to advance the interests of the district. At the close of the fall term, her health being poor, she resigned, and we have filled the position by employing Miss Minnie L. Richards, a graduate of our High school. Miss Ellis resigned her position at District No 3 Grammar school during the summer term, and Miss Alden, of the No. 1 Primary, resigned her school during the fall term. Miss Ellis resigned to enter married life, and Miss Alden to take a school in the town where she resides. We would remember them as faithful instructors, and extend to them both our best wishes for their future success. To supply those vacancies we transferred Mr. E. G. Cornish from the East Head school to take the position vacated by Miss Ellis, filling the vacancy thus made by employing the services of Mrs. Dora F. Gammons, who is well known as one of our teachers in the past and who has an aptitude for the work, and the committee have been well pleased with her efforts in this position. We can not speak too highly of the efforts of Mr. Cornish in this school, and believe he is now doing good work in his new position. We consider him thorough, resolute and punctual in the duties entrusted to him.

To fill the vacancy caused by Miss Alden's resignation we employed Miss Lillian G. Murdock, who came to us well recommended, being a graduate of Abington High school and of Quincy Training school, having attended the Hyannis

Normal school, and for the short time we have had the opportunity to witness her work, we would say we are pleased with her methods and earnestness, and believe the school is progressing finely.

In accord with the vote of the town, the No. 8 school building has been moved near to Fresh Meadow Village and fitted up with the necessary appurtenances to accommodate the few pupils in that locality, and was made ready for the fall term, holding a school for eleven weeks, with Miss Grace R. Gammons, a graduate of our High school, as teacher. We are encouraged to believe that Miss Gammons will make a good teacher.

We would bespeak a kind word for all our teachers, feeling they have the interest of our schools at heart. While we may personally consider their merits varied, we would not criticise their efforts. Advice when sought or given by the committee has been pleasantly received and applied. We feel to congratulate the town that our efforts have been so successful in the employment and retaining of teachers.

REPAIRS.

Your committee have exceeded the appropriation for this account quite heavily, made necessary by there being no special appropriation for putting the No. 8 building in order after its removal, which when landed at its present site was in a very dilapidated condition. The sills, floor, roof, plastering, seats and desks had to have heavy repairs, also the blackboard required considerable attention. A new shed and privies under one roof were built, and a coat of paint applied to the outside of the school house and to the trimmings and doors of shed, and paint and paper on the walls and ceiling of the inside, and the renewing of the seats and desks with paint and varnish have put it in condition to compare favorably with other school buildings in town. Heavy plank steps in front, passing by each door, have been furnished on the

outside, and a few days' work of grading and taking out stumps immediately in front and at sides of building has been done.

Other buildings on which heavy repairs or improvements have been made are at Districts No. 3, 4 and 5.

At No. 3 High school building the windows have had to be reputtied and painted, and a substantial wire fence placed around three sides of the lot, which, as well as ornamental, is serviceable, and shows no depletion by use. At No. 3 Primary building the roof on one side and back end was re-shingled and a coat of paint was given to the outside walls. No. 4 Grammar room has had a new hard pine floor throughout room and entries. No. 5 has had a wire fence erected as at the new building, one side of roof shingled and a coat of paint applied to the outside walls. The repairs in other districts have been light and limited to actual necessities.

The lot at District No. 8 is unsightly and unsuitable for a play ground, from the large quantity of brush and stumps remaining there, which may justly be considered in making an appropriation. Also a fence should be erected. It would doubtless be pleasing to teachers and pupils if there were better facilities for obtaining water at each of our school yards.

District No. 4 should have a fence erected on the back and south side of the lot, which may comply with the law, and discontinue the driving of teams across it. The floor at No. 5 is badly worn and its repair is anticipated in the near future. School buildings and premises require constant care. It is not policy to hive our children up where we would bestow but a miserly pittance. We believe the citizens have been generous in this particular when called upon by their committee.

In the minds of the committee the reopening of several small schools has a tendency to weaken the force of instruction in town and very materially increases the cost of our

schools. We would encourage consolidation and grading, giving all our pupils within the walls of our school buildings equal facilities. As it is the last time your chairman of the School Committee expects to have the opportunity in an official capacity to advise the citizens, he desires the pardon of the town and associate members for the above xpressions if they may seem officious in view of the recent votes passed by the town.

The addition voted for the use of the High school at the new school building at our last annual meeting was completed in time for the fall term of school. It gives the requisite of a recitation room, is well lighted and makes one of the pleasantest rooms in town. It is a valuable adjunct to the High school, which now occupies the southerly room of said building, being connected with it by an intervening door. The much needed enlargement of the basement attained thereby supplies the necessitous want overlooked in the construction of the building. The facilities for our High school, thus supplied, place us in as favorable a condition for its continuance as is enjoyed by other small towns supporting them.

By the continuance of our High school many parents are stimulated to give their children a High school education, when otherwise they could not afford the expense. So, by its continuance, the interest of the present and future posterity of the town will be enhanced. A class of six pupils graduated the past year after a four years' course, with enjoyable exercises given at the Center Carver Baptist church, whose managers gratuitously loaned the church for the occasion. At the commencement of the fall term a class of seven was admitted. We feel as though they have fallen into good hands, as our instructors of the High school we regard as amply qualified and sufficiently commanding for the position, and are commended by those who mingle with them socially. The names of the graduating class will be given on another page.

Sickness has broken the attendance record considerably during the year in several schools. We see it noted on the No. 1 Grammar register. In some cases of absenteeism, it appears as though the parents were negligent of the duty they owe their young. Honest, earnest sacrifice has brought joy to many a home. We would encourage parents doing all they can for their children's intellectual culture.

We trust that in the employment of a superintendent, our schools may derive many benefits. The law says we shall employ one after July 1, and with the right man in this position we believe our schools will be improved.

SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS AND FUNDS.

Dr.

To balance from 1900,	$ 290 68	
Amount raised by tax,	2,600 00	
Received from—		
State,	428 58	
Dog tax,	165 87	
Pratt fund,	125 00	
Ellis fund,	200 00	
State for tuition,	40 00	
Town of Middleboro,	41 75	
Overdraft,	331 58	
		$4,223 46

Cr.

Paid—		
A. S. Burnham, principal,	$595 00	
W. S. Waite, assistant,	375 50	
Albert S. Veazie, No. 1, G.,	324 00	
A. Delle Alden, No. 1, P.,	216 00	
Lillian G. Murdock, No. 1, P.,	72 00	
Nathaniel F. Atwood, No. 2,	84 00	

Etta O. Poland, No. 2,	174 00	
L. F. Ellis, No. 3, G.,	180 00	
Ellis G. Cornish, No. 3, G.,	144 00	
Elva B. Tillson, No. 3, P.,	266 50	
Vesta B. Shaw, No. 4, G.,	333 00	
Mary L. Rogers, No. 4, P.,	304 00	
Lillian F. Wood, No. 5,	257 25	
Ruby Besse, No. 5,	4 50	
Grace R. Gammons, No. 8,	84 00	
Dora F. Gammons, E. H.,	144 00	
Ellis G. Cornish, E. H.,	156 80	
Minnie L. Richard, No. 2,	6 50	
		$3,721 05

The following sums have been paid for janitors' services in the several districts:

District No. 1, Grammar and Primary each $12.25,	$24 50
District No. 2,	12 00
District No. 3, at High and Grammar bldg.,	105 00
District No. 3, Primary,	13 25
District No. 4, Grammar and Primary, each $12.25,	24 50
District No. 5,	12 00
District No. 8,	3 00
District at East Head,	11 50
Amount,	$205 75

Have paid for fuel as follows:

District No. 2,	$ 5 00
District No. 3, High School,	191 52
District No. 3, Primary,	19 64

District No. 4,	37 68
District No. 5,	5 50
District No. 8,	9 00
East Head,	4 40
	$272 74

Paid for cleaning rooms as follows:

District No. 1, each room $3.00,	$6 00
District No. 2,	6 00
District No. 3, High School and Grammar,	3 17
District No. 4, both rooms,	5 00
District No. 5,	3 00
District No. 8,	75
	$23 92
Total amount paid for support of schools,	$4,223 46

TRANSPORTATION ACCOUNT.

Dr.

To balance due from 1900 account,		$ 14 40
To amount raised, 1901, by tax,		300 00
		$314 40

Cr.

Paid A. M. De Rose,	$ 72 00	
Balance to new account,	242 40	
		$314 40

TEXT BOOKS AND INCIDENTALS.

Dr.

To amount raised by tax,	$400 00

amount received for books sold,		8 75
overdrawn bills,		257 14
		$665 89

Cr.

By cash for books and supplies,	$598 00	
overdrawn bill, 1900,	67 89	
		$665 89

MOVING NO. 8 SCHOOLHOUSE.

Dr.

To amount raised by tax,		$150 00
amount overdrawn bills,		4 25
		$154 25

Cr.

By amount paid O. C. Vose and son,	$125 00	
amount paid W. T. Jefferson, stone work,	28 50	
amount paid H. C. McFarlin, surveying,	75	
		$154 25

REPAIRS OF SCHOOLHOUSES.

Dr.

To amount raised by tax,	$300 00	
amount overdrawn,	262 14	
		$562 14

Cr.

By amount paid for repairs as follows:

District No. 1, Grammar,	$ 3 35
District No. 1, Primary,	2 40
District No. 2,	10 70

District No. 3, High and Grammar Schools and yard,	93 10	
District No. 3, Primary,	65 99	
District No. 4, Grammar room,	68 56	
District No. 5,	82 38	
District No. 8,	233 76	
District at East Head,	1 50	
Overdrawn bills, 1900,	40	
		$562 14

Respectfully submitted,

GUSTAVUS ATWOOD,
SETH C. C. FINNEY,
HENRY S. GRIFFITH,
School Committee of Carver.

South Carver, Mass., Jan. 18, 1902.

Fellow Townsmen:—

It is with pleasant memories of the past and a kindly and thankful spirit to the citizens, I retire from the office of School Committee. I have ever regarded my position as a gratuitous gift of my townsmen, and in that light I have enjoyed the position. During the eighteen years I have held it, I have felt that I carried with me the respect and good will of teachers, pupils, and parents. I have felt weak in the position and my numerous duties outside of school interests have made inroads on my time that seemed to be due the schools'. I will now withdraw with the close of the year, hoping that some one will be chosen at your annual meeting who will give our schools his or her best efforts.

I would thank my associate members and all with whom I have associated in the past for their kind and respectful demeanor towards me. Especially would I thank the teachers who have ever accorded me respect, and shall ever hold them in pleasant remembrance. During my long term of

service, I can recall no unkind treatment or words from a teacher. Having ever tried to assist and advise with them to the extent of my ability, I feel that a retrospect of my associations with them will ever be pleasant. Trusting that I may hold your esteem in the future, I pledge my best efforts for the encouragement and upbuilding of the public schools of Carver.

Respectfully,
GUSTAVUS ATWOOD,
Chairman of School Committee of Carver.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Names of scholars neither absent nor tardy during the specified terms:

School No. 1, Grammar, Albert S. Veazie, Teacher.

Fall Term.

Gracie Meta Bruce, Henry Clinton Washburn.

School No. 1, Primary, A. Delle Alden, Teacher.

Winter Term.

Elmer L. Bradford, Olive Frances Perkins.

Spring Term.

Susan Donahoe, James J. Mallay.
Olive Frances Perkins, John Dunham Shaw,
Russell Franklin Shurtleff, Joseph L. Letourneau.

Fall Term.

Elmer Leslie Bradford, Chessman Elmore Coombs.
Ernest Clifford Gardner, Myrtle Louise Gardner,
Oliver F. Perkins, Bertha Cleveland Shurtleff.

School No. 2, Etta O. Poland, Teacher.

Spring Term.

Ethel Florence Maxim.

School No. 3, Grammar, Lottie F. Ellis, Teacher.

Winter Term.

Arthur G. Burbank, Cordelia G. Shaw.

Spring Term.

Cordelia G. Shaw.

Fall Term, E. G. Cornish, Teacher.

Carlton Shurtleff.

School No. 3, Primary, Elva B. Tillson, Teacher.

Fall Term.

Bernard Osburn Burbank.

School No. 4, Grammar, Vesta B. Shaw, Teacher.

Winter Term.

Ellis S. Bumpus, Justin Southworth,
Jullien M. Southworth, Harold A. Tillson.

Spring Term.

Ellis S. Bumpus.

Fall Term.

Irving E. Dunham, Helen S. Griffith,
Justin Southworth, Reba Griffith,
Jullien M. Southworth, Harold A. Tillson.

School No. 4, Primary, Mary Rogers, Teacher.

Spring Term.

Elverson Ellsworth Atwood. Matthew Walter Kelley.
Blanche Frances Kelley.

Fall Term.

Jennie Bailey, Percy Wendell Crocker,
Eddie Stetson Griffith.

School No. 5, Lillian F. Wood, Teacher.

Winter Term.

Mary Alma Johnston, Helen Eva White.

Spring Term.

Mary Alma Johnston, Helen Eva White.

School No. 8, Grace R. Gammons, Teacher.

Fall Term.

Emma Hudson, Fred Washburn,
Annie Maria Washburn.

School at East Head, Dora F. Gammons, Teacher.

Fall Term.

Charles N. Anderson.

High School, A. S. Burnham, Principal.

Winter Term.

Grace R. Gammons, Paul D. Cornish,
Blanche Tillson, Solon W. Cornish,
Elmer B. McFarlin, Herbert Francis Gammons.

Spring Term.

Grace R. Gammons, Laura Georgia Leaming,
Blanche King Tillson, Bertha Florence Vaughan,
Laura Heywood Bump, Paul D. Cornish,
Solon Washington Cornish, Herbert F. Gammons,
Henry Herbert Vaughan.

Fall Term.

Laura H. Bump, Paul Dunbar Cornish,
Herbert F. Gammons.

Graduating Class of 1901, Carver High School.

Grace Roberts Gammons, Minnie Laura Richards,
Annie Kimball Shurtleff, Blanche King Tillson,
Solon Washington Cornish, Clarence Reynolds Hines.

SCHOOLS.	TERMS.	TEACHERS.	No. of weeks.	Wages per week.	Visitors.	Total Membership per term.	Aver'ge membership per term.	Average attendance per term.	Average absence per term.	Per cent. of attendance.	No. between 7 and 14 years.	No. over 15 years.	Average Membership for year.	Average Membership in town.	Average attendance for year.	Average attendance in town.	Whole number of pupils enrolled.	Cost per scholar per Ave. member.
HIGH SCHOOL.	1	A. S. Burnham, Prin. } each term.	14	$15 00 Prin.	4	20	20.	18.64	3.875	93	4	14	19.34		18.2		192	
	2	Wilhelmina S. White Asst. } each term.	14	9.00	18	20	19.21	18.52	1.85	96	4	14						
	3		12	9.50 Asst.	14	19	18.72	17.438	3.625	93	4	8						
No. 1. GRAMMAR.	1	Albert S. Veazie, each term,	12	9.00	2	17	16.33	14.60	6.775	89	14	0	18.4		16.34		Total Average membership for year.	
	2		12	9 00	6	16	16.	13 77	4.275	86	14	0						
	3		11	9.00	11	23	21 33	19.66	4.175	92	22	1						
No. 1, PRIMARY.	1	A. Delle Alden.	12	8.00	6	30	28.67	26.26	8.775	91	27	0	28.98		26.83			
	2		12	8.00	13	35	33.64	30 86	7.85	91	29	0						
	3		12	8.00	14	26	24 65	23.375	3.525	95	27	0						
No. 2, UNGRADED.	1	Nathaniel F. Atwood, 1st term	12	7.00	5	10	8.13	5.44	7.7	67	10	0	10 43		7.736			
	2	Etta O, Poland, 2d term.	12	7.00	24	13	10.25	8 47	5.125	82	9	0						
	3		12	7.50	24	15	12.9	9.3	10.25	85	11	0						
No. 3, GRAMMAR.	1	L. F. Ellis, 1st term, 2d term to May 31st.	12	8.00	2	12	11.18	11.1	1.4	98	9	1	9.84	15.33	9.5	13.22	160	$26.40
	2	E. G. Cornish taught part of 2d and all of 3d term.	12	9.00	20	12	11.23	10.7	1.575	95	9	1						
	3		11	9 00	6	7	6.21	5.79	1.05	93	3	0						
No. 3, PRIMARY.	1	Elva B. Tillson, each term.	12	7.00	10	16	13.91	12.03	5.6	86	12	0	15.87		14.23		Total average attendance for year.	
	2		12	7 00	13	19	17.91	16.73	4.3	93	13	0						
	3		12	7.50	22	17	15.8	13.93	5.4	88	13	0						
No. 4, GRAMMAR.	1	Vesta B. Shaw, each term.	12	9.00	8	13	12.66	11.97	1.35	95	12	0	13.76		13.11			
	2		12	9.00	29	12	12.	11.64	1.975	97	12	0						
	3		11	9.00	17	17	16.63	15.73	2.4	98								
No. 4, PRIMARY.	1	Mary Rogers, each term.	12	8.00	16	21	18.75	15.44	9.75	82	14	0	18.92		16.99			
	2		13	8 00	33	25	22.33	19.85	7.05	89	16	0						
	3		12	8 00	44	18	17.08	15.68	3.85	92	13	0						
No. 5, UNGRADED.	1	Lillian F. Wood, each term.	12	7.50	16	12	8.92	7.71	4.075	86	11	0	8.336		7.11			
	2		12	7.50	13	10	8.88	8.02	1.5	91	11	0						
	3		10	7.50	7	8	7.21	5.6	3.3	78	7	0						
No. 8, UNGRADED.	1	Grace R. Gammons.	11	7.00	19	10	9.15	9.1	.4	99	6	0	9.15		9.1		145	
EAST HEAD.	1	Ellis G. Cornish, 1st and 2d term to May 23.	14	8.00	2	10	7.43	7.2	2.875	94	5	0	7.36		6.27			
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Balance, Jan. 1, 1901,	$79 11
Appropriation,	125 00
	$204 11
Paid for books,	$158 66
Paid for lumber,	8 64
Paid for labor and nails,	3 50
Balance, Jan. 1, 1902,	33 31
	$204 11

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Balance, Jan. 1, 1901,	$ 5 38
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Elsa,	1729
King Solomon's Mines,	1730
The Wreck of the South Pole,	1731
The Inner Life of the Court of Tuileries,	1732
Best Thoughts and Discourses,	1733
Buried Cities Recovered,	1734
When Knighthood Was in Flower,	1735
The Storming of Stony Point,	1736
Life on the Mississippi—Mark Twain,	1737
History of the World—Ridpath—Vol. I.	1738
History of the World—Ridpath—Vol. II,	1739
History of the World—Ridpath—Vol. III,	1740
History of the World—Ridpath—Vol. IV,	1741
History of the World—Ridpath—Vol. V,	1742
History of the World—Ridpath—Vol. VI,	1743
History of the World—Ridpath—Vol. VII,	1744
History of the World—Ridpath—Voy. VIII,	1745
History of the Creation—Haeckel—Vol. I,	1746
History of the Creation—Haeckel—Vol. II,	1747
The American Conflict—Greeley—Vol. I,	1748
The American Conflict—Greeley—Vol. II,	1749

Alger, Horatio.

Fame and Fortune,	1750
Rough and Ready,	1751
Ben, the Luggage Boy,	1752

Mack, the Match Boy, 1753
Rufus and Rose, 1754
Paul, the Peddler, 1755
Bound to Rise, 1756
Luck and Pluck, 1757
Strive and Succeed, 1758

Altsheler, Joseph A.
The Wilderness Road, 1759

Arnault & Pauckoucke.
Life and Campaigns of Napoleon Bonaparte, 1760

Babcock, William Henry.
The Town of Wye, 1761

Bacheller, Irving.
Eben Holden, 1762

Blanchau, Neltjie.
Nature's Garden, 1763

Brown, Alice.
King's End, 1764

Browning, Oscar.
Charles XII of Sweden, 1765

Butcher and Lang.
The Odyssey of Homer, 1766

Carey, Rosa N.
Wooed and Married, 1767

Cary, Phœbe and Alice.
Poetical Works, 1768

Chamberlain, Rev. Jacob, M. D., D. D.
The Cobra's Den, 1769
In the Tiger Jungle, 1770

Chapman, Frank W.
Birds of Eastern North America, 1771

Coleridge, Samuel Taylor.
Poetical Works, 1772

Conder, Arthur R.
The Seal of Silence, 1773

Connor, Ralph.
The Sky Pilot, 1774
Cox, Samuel S.
Diversions of a Diplomat in Turkey, 1775
Eight Years in Congress, 1776
Crawford, F. Marion.
Sant 'Ilario, 1777
Ave Roma Immortalis, Vol. I, 1778
Ave Roma Immortalis, Vol. II, 1779
Croly, George.
Tarry Thou 'Till I Come, 1780
Damon, Sophie M.
Old New England Days, 1781
Douglas, Amanda M.
A Question of Silence, 1782
Eggleston, Edward.
The Transit of Civilization, 1783
Eggleston, George Cary.
A Caroline Cavalier, 1784
Ford, Paul Leicester.
Wanted—A Matchmaker, 1785
Forsslund, M. Louise.
The Story of Sarah, 1786
Fuller, Edward.
The Complaining Millions of Men, 1787
Gibson, William Hamilton.
Camp Life and the Tricks of Trapping, 1788
Sharp Eyes, 1789
Glyn, Elinor.
The Visits of Elizabeth, 1790
Goss, Warren Lee.
The Soldier's Story, 1791
Heck, Dr. L.
Living Pictures of the Animal Kingdom, 1792
Ingersoll, Ernest.
Birds: Their Nests and Eggs, 1793

Keep, Robert P.
The Iliad of Homer, Books I -III. 1794
Kipling, Rudyard.
The Jungle Book, 1795
The Second Jungle Book, 1796
Life's Handicap, 1797
Stalky & Co., 1798
Lane, Elinor Macartney.
Mills of God, 1799
Lane, John.
The Aristocrats, 1800
Lincoln, Jeanie Gould.
An Unwilling Maid, 1801
Lloyd, John Uri.
Stringtown on the Pike, 1802
Etidorpha, 1803
Long, William J.
Ways of Wood Folk, 1804
Wilderness Ways, 1805
Longstreet, James.
From Manassas to Appomattox, 1806
Martineau, Harriet.
Feats on the Fiord, 1807
McCall, Sidney.
Truth Dexter, 1808
McElroy, Lucy Cleaver.
Juletty, 1809
Merriman, Henry Seton.
The Isle of Unrest, 1810
Morley, John.
Oliver Cromwell, 1811
Morris, Charles.
A History of the United States, 1812
Optic, Oliver.
At the Front, 1813

Otis, James.
The Lobster Catchers, 1814
Paton, Mrs. John G.
Letters and Sketches from the New Hebrides, 1815
Paton, Rev. James, B. A.
The Story of John G. Paton, 1816
Perry, Com. M. C.
United States' Japan Expedition, Vol. I, 1817
United States' Japan Expedition, Vol. II, 1818
United States' Japan Expedition, Vol. III, 1819
Pidgin, Charles Felton.
Quincy Adams Sawyer, 1820
Poe, Edgar Allen.
Poetical Works, 1821
Pope, Alexander.
Poetical Works, 1822
Price, Eleanor C.
The Heiress of the Forest, 1823
Pyle, Howard.
The Merry Adventures of Robin Hood, 1824
Rhone, Mrs. D. L.
Among the Dunes, 1825
Ridpath, John Clark, L. L. D.
Great Races of Mankind, Vol. I, 1826
Great Races of Mankind, Vol. II, 1827
Great Races of Mankind, Vol. III, 1828
Great Races of Mankind, Vol. IV, 1829
Robertson, William.
Works of—Vol. I, Scotland (1), 1830
Vol. II, Scotland (2), 1831
Vol. III, Scotland (3), 1832
Vol. IV, Charles V (1), 1833
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Vol. X, America (3), 1839
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Roth, Edward.
Life of Napoleon III, 1842

Russell, Charles T.
The Divine Plan of the Ages, 1843

Serrano, Mary J.
Marie Bashkirtseff, 1844

Serao, Matilde.
The Land of the Cockayue, 1845

Skinner, Henrietta Dana.
Heart and Soul, 1846

Sidney, Margaret.
Polly Pepper, 1847
Joel Pepper, 1848

Smollett, T.
History of England, Vol. I, 1849
History of England, Vol. II, 1850
History of England, Vol. III, 1851
History of England, Vol. IV, 1852
History of England, Vol. V, 1853
History of England, Vol. VI, 1854

Spencer, Herbert.
Various Fragments, 1855
Synthetic Philosophy, 1856
Recent Discussions in Science, 1857

Stephens, J. L.
Central America, Vol. I, 1858
Central America, Vol. II, 1859

Stephenson, Nathaniel.
They That Took the Sword, 1860

Townsend, Virginia F.
Mostly Marjorie Day. 1861

Voynick, E. L.
Jack Raymond, 1862
Ward, Mrs. Humphrey.
Eleanor, 1863
Washington, George.
Writings of—Vol I, 1864
Vol. II, 1865
Vol. III 1866
Vol. IV, 1867
Vol. V, 1868
Vol. VI, 1869
Vol. VII, 1870
Vol. VIII, 1871
Vol. IX, 1872
Vol. X, 1873
Vol. XI, 1874
Vol. XII, 1875
Whitley, Beatrice.
Bequeathed, 1876
Whitmarsh, A. Phelps.
The Golden Talisman, 1877
Wiggin, Kate Douglass.
The Story Hour, 1878
Wise, John S.
The End of An Era, 1879
Woods, Kate Tannatt.
Doctor Dick, 1880
Zack.
The White Cottage, 1881
Miscellaneous.
The Bostonians, 1882
Quality Corner, 1883
The Crisis, 1884
The Life and Death of Richard Yea and Nay, 1885
Halleiujahs from Portsmouth Camp-meeting, 1886

Alexander, Mrs.
The Step-Mother, 1887
Beaton's Bargain, 1888
Diaz, Mrs. A. M.
Lucy Maria, 1889
Doyle, A. Conan.
The Great Keinplatz Experiment, 1890
Dumas, Alexander.
The Count of Monte Cristo, 1891
Edwards, Mrs. Annie.
A Playwright's Daughter, 1892
Gunter, Archibald Clavering.
Tangled Flags, 1893
Hay, May Cecil.
For Her Dear Sake, 1894
Macquoid, Katherine S.,
Marjorie, 1895
Mansfield, Edward D.,
Life of General Scott, 1896
Mayer, Alfred M.
Sport with Gun and Rod, 1897
Meynell, Mrs.
John Ruskin, 1898
Mitford, A. B. Freeman.
The Attache at Peking, 1899
Mitford, William.
History of Greece, Vol. I., 1900
Vol. II., 1901
Vol. III., 1902
Vol. IV., 1903
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Vol. VI., 1905
Vol. VII., 1906
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Naylor, James Ball.
Ralph Marlowe, 1910
Pidgin, Charles Felton.
Blennerhassett, 1911
Scott, Walter.
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Dynamiter, 1913
Weyman, Stanley J.
A Gentleman of France, 1914

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Beautiful Joe, 627
Sewell, Anna.
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BOOKS FOR REFERENCE.

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DONATIONS.

Mrs. C. R. Doty,	six books.
Miss Julia F. Hammond,	six books.
Mr. Chas. Shaw, Watertown,	six books.
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Mr. A. T. Shurtleff,	one book.
Ginn & Co.,	one book.
Mr. John B. McFarlin,	one book.

Publishers Middleboro Gazette, Plymouth Free Press, and Woman's Jurnal, one paper each week. Publishers "The Christian," one paper each week for a limited time.

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Number of patrons,	180
Number of books taken from the library during the year,	1419
Number of books added during the year,	198
Total number of books in the Library,	1947
Number of books for reference,	88

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